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AGENDA



Thursday, December 07, 2006

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Law

ITEM No 4

RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION

Subject Approve an amendment to an outside counsel contract with Bickerstaff, Heath, Smiley, Pollan, Kever & McDaniel, L L P , Austin, TX, to provide legal counsel to the City concerning the possible acquisition of land for expansion or improvement of Austin-Bergstrom International Airport facilities in the amount of \$30,000, for a total contract amount not to exceed \$110,000

Amount and Source of Funding Funding is available in the Fiscal Year 2006-2007 Operating Budget of the Aviation Department using airport funds

Fiscal Note A fiscal note is attached

Additional Backup Material

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[Fiscal Note](#)

For More Information David Petersen, Assistant City Attorney, 530-7526

Prior Council Action On July 23, 2005, Council approved a \$55,000 increase

This amendment increases the amount of the legal contract with Bickerstaff, Heath, Smiley, Pollan, Kever & McDaniel, L L P to provide legal counsel concerning the possible acquisition of land in the vicinity of Austin-Bergstrom International Airport for possible expansion or improvement of Airport facilities

The Law Department originally contracted with this firm on March 14, 2005. The original contract amount was \$25,000. On June 23, 2005, Council authorized an increase in the amount of \$55,000. Council is requested to authorize an additional \$30,000, for a total contract amount not to exceed \$110,000. This additional amount is necessary to pay anticipated fees through the end of the Fiscal Year 2006-2007.

CIP BUDGET FISCAL NOTE

DATE OF COUNCIL CONSIDERATION
WHERE ON AGENDA
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7-Dec-06
Resolution
Aviation

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FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Project Name	Kucera Tract
Project Authorization	2006-07 Capital Budget
Funding Source	Airport Capital Fund
Fund/Department/Unit	4910-8107-3097

Current Appropriation	\$	180,000
Unencumbered Balance		30,630
Amount of this Action		<u>(30 000)</u>
Available Balance	\$	630